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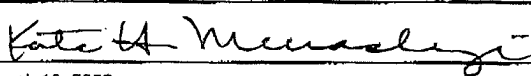
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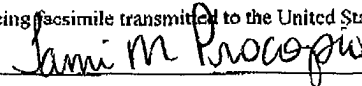

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to an Office action herein mailed 4 February 2003, time for response to which was set to expire 4 May 2003. The pending claims, claims 1-7, 9-10 and 14-24 were rejected. It is believed this rejection is in error; nevertheless, an amendment is made to claim 1 for further clarification. Reconsideration is respectfully requested.

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